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TITLE OF INVENTION FLUORESCENT PROBE							
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Tetsuo NAGANO, Eita SASAKI, Hirotatsu KOJIMA, Tomoya HIRANO and Kazuya KIKUCHI							
Applicant herewith submits to the United S	States Designated/Elected Office (DO/	EO/US) the following items and other information					
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2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUE	ENT submission of items concerning a	filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
 This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (23) indicated below. 							
4. The US has been elected (PCT A	rticle 31).						
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S in English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) In is attached hereto.							
 b. has been previously submit 							
 Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))							
8. An English language translation o	f the amendments to the claims under	PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).					
9. An oath or declaration of the inver	ntor(s) (35 U.S.C371(c)(4)).						
10. An English language translation o	f the annexes to the International Preli	minary Examination Report under PCT Article 36					
Items 11 to 22 below concern other doe	cument(s) or information included:						
11. Assignee: Tetsuo NAGANO of Tokyo	Japan						
12. An Information Disclosure Statem	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.						
13. An assignment document for reco	rding. A separate cover sheet in comp	nliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.							
15. An Application Data Sheet under	37 C.F.R. 1.76.						
16. A substitute specification.							
17. A power of attorney and/or change	e of address letter.						
18. Figure of Drawing to be published:							
 A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825. 							
20. A second copy of the published in	ternational application under 35 U.S.C	. 154 (d) (4).					
21. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d) (4).							
22. ☑ Other items or information: PCT/RO/161-PCT Request in Japan Copy of the international Application Copy of the international Application PCT/ISS/210-International Search FPCT/ISS/223 PCT/ISS/231 PCT/ISS/234	as filed in Japanese as published in Japanese						

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